

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L LONDON 06177

E.O. 11652: XGDS-1  
TAGS: PFOR EEC CY  
SUBJECT: EC DELIBERATIONS ON CYPRUS

REF: STATE 83772

1. CORMACK IN FCO BRIEFED EMBOFF ON DISCUSSION OF  
CYPRUS IN MEETING OF EC MEDITERRANEAN EXPERTS  
COMMITTEE HELD IN LONDON APRIL 14. BRITISH CIRCULATED  
AN ATTENUATED VERSION OF THE JOINT ASSESSMENT REFERRED  
TO IN PARA 1 OF REFTEL, BUT DESCRIBED IT AS A BRITISH  
ASSESSMENT. EXPERTS COMMITTEE AGREED TO RECOMMEND TO  
THE POLITICAL DIRECTORS THAT THE FOREIGN MINISTERS  
SHOULD (1) ISSUE BRIEF PRESS STATEMENT WELCOMING  
PROGRESS MADE IN CYPRUS NEGOTIATIONS AND EXPRESSING  
HOPE BOTH SIDES WOULD CONTINUE TO NEGOTIATE PATIENTLY,  
AND (2) AUTHORIZE A GENERALIZED, SOMEWHAT LONGER, BUT  
NON-PUBLIC STATEMENT OF ENCOURAGEMENT TO THE PARTIES.  
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THE EXPERTS RECOMMENDED LEAVING IT UP TO THE FOREIGN  
MINISTERS AS TO WHETHER THE STATEMENT WOULD BE CONVEYED  
TO THE PARTIES INDIVIDUALLY BY THE MEMBERS OR BY THE  
PRESIDENCY ON THEIR BEHALF.

2. THE EXPERTS ALSO BRIEFLY REVIEWED THE CYPRUS CIVIL  
AVIATION FIR PROBLEM ON WHICH THEY HAVE AGREED TO KEEP

AN EYE, BUT FELT THAT NO FURTHER ACTION WAS NEEDED AT THIS TIME.

3. EMBOFF CONVEYED TO CORMACK US POLICY AS SET FORTH IN REFTTEL.

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